

THE POCHE WEEKLY RECORD.

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The Milwaukee Sentinel shows the following very truthful contrast between two great Governments: "A British subject, three thousand miles from his home, murdered by a band of Southern Mojos, and in twenty days thereafter his Government applies for an investigation of the facts, with a view to redress from the Government that permits such barbarism. Against this noble vigilance of a foreign Government, what has ours done, when three innocent subjects—a noble and cultivated father, a pure young girl and an innocent boy of thirteen—are known to have been cruelly murdered at their own home. We hope the British Government will shame our own by pressing this matter to a prompt and thorough investigation, even though it discloses that the people and Government of the United States have become disgracefully indifferent to those outrages in the South, the existence of which no intelligent person doubts. A Government which does not protect life and property has no right to exact allegiance and service from its subjects."

A San Francisco dispatch says that Senator Jones' new attitude on the currency question is provoking much comment in political and financial circles, there. Well informed Nevada politicians say that if it be true that he has flopped squarely over to the green-back party he has materially lessened his chances for re-election from the Silver State. In this connection the name of Judge Dick Mesick, of Virginia City, is frequently mentioned as the Bonanza candidate for Jones' place. Sharon and the railroads, it is said, will also favor Mesick. So it is seen that Jones cannot well afford to make a mistake with reference to a matter of so much importance as the currency.

A copy of the "Argus and Patriot," a paper published at Montpelier, Vermont, was shown to us the other day, and it yet has the Democratic roster at the head of its columns crowing, while over the bird is printed, "Tilden elected," and just under the rooster the words, "But Hayes counted in." That's right, for any man occupying the Presidential chair who will close his eyes and permit such murders as the one recently perpetrated in Kemper county, Mississippi, without even causing the authorities of that State to attempt the arrest of the assassins, ought to be pointed at with scorn.

We saw a down East paper the other day that contained several items concerning parties who had recently been to hear Moody and Sankey returning home crazy from the effect of religious excitement. This is another warning to us fellows out here in the mountains for to have nothing to do with religion, and if those Yanks back East there persist in sending missionaries here to convert us, we had better apply to the aforesaid missionaries the same remedy that the Puritans used to employ for the cure of witchcraft. What a splendid blaze a big fat missionary, just fresh from the East, would make.

Pocket photographic cameras are now made which occupy so little space that they can be carried as easily as an umbrella. All that the traveler requires is the camera, a stand-in shape of a walking stick—and a few dry plates. With such an outfit mementoes can be brought home of the scenery and principal incidents of a journey, and permanent pictures can be obtained. Bromide emulsion dry plates are now made which work as quickly as the old-fashioned wet collodion plates.

If the great showman Barnum could manage to secure the New York Herald's Salt Lake correspondent, and travel around the country exhibiting him as "the man who attempted to assassinate himself and lay the blame on the Mormons," it would be a better speculation than Charley Ross.

It is rumored that the Princess of Wales will proceed as soon as possible to take up her permanent residence at her father's court in Copenhagen. The alleged cause of this serious step is an unpleasant difficulty which has arisen, and in which a lady of title is concerned.

Victor Hugo is writing an elaborate history of the coup d'etat of Napoleon III., which will appear in October in French, English, Italian and German simultaneously.

G. E. Rowell, of Barton, Vermont, claims to have in his possession a goose thirty-two years of age. We hope the gentleman has no reference to his wife.

His Holiness has conferred the Grand Cross of the Order of Pius IX. on President MacMahon.

The New York Herald says Captain Hall's Polar expedition will live forever in the history of American scientific exploration. In the annals of that impetuous region of darkness and ice there is not, except the melancholy fate of Franklin, anything so sad as is the story of the death of the stout adventurer whose grave was made almost at the entrance to the region whose secret it was the dream and purpose of his life to unlock. The official history of the expedition has just been compiled from the journals and other papers of Captain Hall and his officers, and will be issued in a few days from the Government presses at Washington.

If any one wants to see the Caucasian spirit fully aroused, says the Nevada (Cal.) Gazette, they can find it over on the San Juan Ridge. The laboring men there have been brought into direct competition with the Mongolians in almost every line of occupation, and they are opposed to Chinese immigration and employment, because they know the evils from experience and observation. The opposition is not confined to any one element, but all seem united and determined to agitate the question until some results favorable to the white laboring man are obtained.

A dispatch from Yuma says that nearly all the land along the Gila river, from Yuma to Florence, a distance of about 235 miles, has been taken up under the Desert Land Act. The river bottoms will average one-fourth of a mile to six miles in width, and are said to be the finest lands in the United States for growing sugar cane. Portions are also said to be well adapted to growing oranges. Two men, with the aid of proxies, have recently located over forty square miles of land along the Gila river. Extensive locations have been made throughout that section of country.

In addition to \$26,000 which she gave to Yale College, the late Mrs. Irene Larnard, of New Haven, Connecticut, made the following bequests: To the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, \$5,000; to the American Home Missionary Society, \$5,000; to the American Tract Society, \$1,000; to the Connecticut State Hospital Society of New Haven, \$5,000. With the exception of the amounts which the lady bequeathed to Yale College and the hospital, the balance amounts to nothing more nor less than so much money thrown away.

At the assembling of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of the State of Nevada, held at Carson on the 6th, 6th and 7th inst., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: "Grand Master, E. L. Stern, of Gold Hill; Deputy Grand Master, W. H. Davenport, of Eureka; Grand Warden, G. W. Duncan, of Genoa; Grand Secretary, F. V. Drake, of Virginia; Grand Treasurer, George Tufts, of Carson; Grand Representatives, C. W. Jones (long term), W. H. Verdin (short term); Trustees, L. L. Crockett, P. Kirby and J. Young.

A WONDERFUL CLOCK.—Among the novelties in the new stock of goods just received by Wm. Jennings & Sons we noticed they have received a few of the wonderful alarm clocks that strike a match and light a lamp at the same time they strike the alarm.—(S. L. Herald.)

When some inventive genius in this epoch of enlightenment and progress makes an improvement on those clocks by which they will hand a fellow a drink (of water) without him getting out bed every time the alarm goes off, then we will buy one.

An appeal was made to the British public on behalf of the three great-granddaughters of Daniel Defoe, the author of "Robinson Crusoe." These three ladies are over fifty years of age, and two are dependent upon the exertions of the youngest of them, who works at button-hole making, by which she realizes seven shillings a week. Queen Victoria responded to the appeal and has granted the three Misses Defoe's pensions of \$375 per annum each.

Ex-Governor Bullock, of Georgia, is on trial at Atlanta on charges of having purchased with State funds cars which never existed, from a mythical Tennessee car company, and of a breach of trust in having turned over to Mr. H. I. Kimball \$130,000 in bonds of the city of Atlanta, before the condition under which he was ordered to do so was complied with.

Miss Carter Thompson, who was recently married to Governor Carroll, of Maryland, is a daughter of Judge Thompson, of Staunton, and has two sisters married to brothers of the Governor, while the only single sister is said to be the affianced bride of the remaining unmarried Carroll.

Professor Stewart has taken up 100 acres of land adjoining his Governor mine, at Tuscarora.

The farmers of Sacramento county, California, are complaining of a new species of bug that have made their appearance in that locality and say these insects are devouring all the pear and quince leaves.

STATE ITEMS.

There will soon be a semi-weekly stage line running between Ward city and Osceola.

The fourth trial of J. W. Rover for the murder of I. N. Sharp at Rabbit Hole in 1875 began Monday at Reno.

Some Cornish miners have been locating a very promising ledge near the summit of the range back of Tuscarora.

Mark McKimmins, formerly of Austin, is now engaged in the business of importing Iowa horses into Utah.

The Martin White company, of Ward has been released from attachment as the company has paid all claims against it.

The Carson River Wood Company last week cut their boom near Silver King, Alpine county California, and sent adrift 30,000 cords.

The King Mining and Smelting Company incorporated in San Francisco last Friday, to mine and smelt in White Pine, Nevada. Capital stock, \$10,000,000.

Mills, the negro who killed Finnelly at Halleck Station a short time ago, was arrested by a couple of ranchers of Lamotte Valley the other day and delivered to Sheriff Sietz of Elko county.

The present warm weather is melting the snow rapidly and the Carson river is booming. The same is the case in Walker river, and wood drivers and farmers do exceedingly rejoice.

The Reno Journal of the 8th says Judge Richardson yesterday held F. Wooten to appear before the Grand Jury. He stands accused of cutting a ditch which supplies several farms in Washoe Valley with water.

On the 9th inst. David Mannheim, a merchant of Eureka, killed one James McElroy, about eight miles from that town. The testimony at the coroner's inquest went to show that Mr. Mannheim acted in self-defense and the committing of the deed was forced upon him.

Reveille: Sheriff Thomas has gone out to Smith creek with a warrant for the arrest of John Ryan, charged with branding cattle belonging to M. M. Egan. It is also alleged that Ryan shot at a man named Welch a few days ago. Welch has charge of Mr. Egan's cattle.

German Lovejoy, who is engaged in placer mining on Flat creek, sixty miles north of town, near the Idaho road, says the Silver State, has brought to town a lot of gold dust. It is coarse gold worn smooth, like that found in the California mines, and is worth \$18.25 an ounce.

Elko Independent: The Elko wing of the aboriginal tribe of Shoshones, under the supervision of Chief Levi, held a grand terpsichorean pow-wow near the lower bridge, Friday night. The attendance was large and the festivities hilarious; the white spectators being furnished with seats naturally cushioned, in the dress circle.

Tybo Sun: An evidence of Tybo's prosperity (the same gauge measured the prosperity of California towns in early days), is the fact that the Tiger can be hunted in his jungle in three different places, Reno in one, poker wherever you want it, and burdy dancing of a high order, at balls for that purpose.

The Carson Tribune says, a gentleman who arrived to-day from Lake Tahoe informs us that wash gold in large quantities has been discovered in Tallac Mountain, near Fallen Leaf Lake, and that the working men in and about Gardener's ranch and Yank's hostelry have mostly left for the new gold diggings.

The Tybo Sun say that at the dance in that town the other night in the new Hall, while the party were at supper, some one stole all the lights, and when the party returned they found the hall in total darkness. This was due to the boys, as kissing was then in order. The most common expression used until the lights were produced, was, "Oh! don't Fred."

A pilgrim all the way from Boston arrived the other day in Tybo. He walked from the railroad, packing a mule load of truck, consisting of blankets, cooking utensils and a cage containing a canary bird. His appearance in the town was the signal for a general turn-out, and his reception was as hearty as it was unexpected, the bird acknowledging the courtesy with its sweetest songs. He brought the whole outfit clear from "bum."

Tuscarora Review: The Grand Prize mill now in operation does better work than any other ten-stamper in the State, and its record proves it. From 16 to 23 tons of ore, or an average of nearly 20 tons, per day are worked by a dry process, and it returns from 90 to 95 per cent. of the assay value of the ore, which renders the tailings of so little value that no effort is made to save them. The bullion producer is never less than .995 fine, and very frequently assays .999%.

Mr. Hamilton understands his business, and is showing it in his work of superintending the mill.

Silver State: It is a fact noticed by many of our citizens that a tramp who alights from his dangerous seat on the break beam of a freight train, and for

the first time sets foot in the town, will pass by several houses in his search for grub, and walk direct to a store or a residence where some of the fraternity who proceeded him had been kindly treated. This has been done so often that the opinion has prevailed that they post each other on the road in regard to places where there is a probability of their getting something to eat. An exchange has discovered that they have a written language, and that the letter "H" on the gate-post means that the residents will give the caller a handfull of grub; "S," that he will get a seat at the table; "S M," that he will get a square meal; and "G B," that he will get the "grand bounce."

LATEST NEWS BY MAIL.

St. Louis, June 10. The Latest accounts from the West say the river below Kansas City is still rising and doing great damage. The water is higher than at any time since the flood of 1849. The town of Harlem, opposite Kansas City, is six feet under water, and is likely to be entirely destroyed. All the railroads in the vicinity are greatly damaged by washouts or submerged tracks. People living on bottoms along the river are moving to the bluffs, taking what property they can with them.

Portville, Pa., June 11. The mines are on fire and burning to a considerable depth. The fire originated last Saturday from a blast which ignited the gas. An explosion followed, and considerable damage to the walls and props ensued. A late dispatch states that it is believed seven gangways are burning, and the fire is making rapid progress. A large stream of water has been turned into the mines. No miners were hurt by the explosion.

Boston, June 12. Governor Rice received assurances that President Hayes will reach Boston on the 25th instant, and will remain in the city two days; attending the Harvard college commencement Wednesday, and visiting Providence Thursday. The State Legislature of New Hampshire has invited the President to visit Concord on his passage from Boston to Vermont.

Baltimore, June 12. An excursion train came in collision with the Winchester train near the point of rocks. Charles Keefe, Richard Dutroff Duffin and Walker were killed. Louis Schley, Cotrail and others were seriously injured. The train was from Baltimore, carrying passengers to the dedication of the monument in the Confederate Cemetery at Hagerstown. The engines crushed into each other and four persons were instantly killed and 48 wounded—all on the excursion train. All the killed and wounded were from Frederick county, and have been taken to Frederick city. Only one person, a lady, on the Winchester train, was injured, and she not seriously. The cause of the accident was a misunderstanding between the train men.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 12. About noon on the 10th instant, a fire broke out on Don Jose Reching's ranch, some six miles southwest of this place, raging fearfully in an eastern direction consuming stock and everything in its way. At first it was making a direct course for the Honda region, but yesterday the wind blew heavy from the southwest which turned it toward Messrs. Young Brothers and Ball's ranches, over which it swept rapidly. After burning about 150 head of cattle for Don J. Reching, and completely making away with all the grass on three ranches, it came down San Margotia canyon, where it not for the citizens who turned out and fought it in the hot sun for 15 straight hours without food, it would undoubtedly have burned up every house in the canyon. It is impossible to estimate the loss. All is now quiet and no further danger is apprehended at present. There is fire raging in the Santa Monica ranch, seven miles northwest, owned by Don J. Reching, also on which has been devoured over 2,000 acres of his best grass. The ranchers are all worked down endeavoring to save something for their stock, and are almost hopeless. The fire seems to have been the work of an incendiary.

San Francisco, June 12. The existence is reported of a ring of speculators having in view a grab of an immense body of valuable timber and agricultural land on the bottom of the Kalamath river. The United States Surveyor is said to be now in the field making the necessary sub-divisions. The lumber men here are greatly exercised over the prospect of the land going into possession of private parties.

London, June 11. The Egyptian contingent for Turkey has sailed, escorted by four Turkish men-of-war. There are 300 newspaper correspondents in Roumania. Pati is deserted; shops are closed, and the inhabitants have fled into the interior. Only a few soldiers remain to oppose the landing of the Circassians from the Turkish transports.

Constantinople dispatches report heavy firing south of that city. A corps of Montenegrin troops, isolated from the main body, was surprised by a body of Turks numbering 2,000, and a terrific engagement followed. The Montenegrin corps was completely exterminated.

A dispatch from Erzerum states that Moukhtar Pasha's army is decimated by sickness, and that his commissariat is in a frightful condition. The roads are swarming with deserters from his army.

Conn's Mammoth Clothing and Dry Goods Emporium, at the old stand on Main street, opposite Meadow Valley street, has again opened with a new and well selected stock of goods pertaining to a first-class establishment. Everything new, nobby and stylish. Satisfaction guaranteed in every instance. Call at the old stand, where goods are sold at bottom prices.

Main st. opposite Meadow Valley st. Ice!—The undersigned is prepared to furnish the citizens of Pioche with Pure and Clear Ice, in large or small quantities. All orders left at Press Ward's saloon will receive early attention.

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Born.

At Pioche, Tuesday, June 12, 1877, to the wife of Alexander McMath, a son, weighing 12 1/2 lbs. At Pioche, June 12, 1877, to the wife of Geo. W. Arnold, a daughter.

Died.

At Woodbridge, California, June 7, 1877, Isabella M. Wife of P. Wilkins, a native of Scotland, aged 55 years. Carson, Nevada, and Utah papers please copy.

NEW TO-DAY.

PRIVATE SCHOOL.

I will open a private school for children, at the school-house on Cedar street, on Monday next, June 18th, 1877. Terms, \$3 per month, payable in advance. Pupils solicited. J. L. 21. MISS MARY CARR.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE FIRM of Miller & Bennett are hereby required to call at my office and settle the same on or before the 6th day of July, A. D. 1877, and save costs. THOMPSON CAMPBELL, Attorney at Law, Court House, Pioche, Nev., June 10, 1877. J. L. 21

Bidders Wanted.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL WEDNESDAY, June 20, 1877, by the Board of Delegates for the laying of pipe and construction of plugs in accordance with the specifications in the hands of the Chief Engineer. Bidders to receive their pay from the first moneys in the Fire Department Fund. All bids must be addressed to A. H. Emanuel, Secretary of Pioche Fire department. A. H. EMANUEL, J. L. 11 Secretary Pioche Fire Department.

Meadow Valley Mining Company.—Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California; location of works, Pioche, Lincoln County, Nevada.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees, held on the sixth (6th) day of June, 1877, an assessment (\$20.00) of seventy-five cents (75c) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately, in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the company, rooms over the office of the Union Insurance Company, No. 418 California street, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the Twentieth (20th) day of July, 1877, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Monday, the thirteenth (13th) day of August, 1877, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Trustees, T. W. COLBURN, Secretary, Office—Rooms over the office of the Union Insurance Company, No. 418 California street, San Francisco, California. J. L. 21

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Justice's Court, in and for the Township of Pioche, County of Lincoln, State of Nevada, and to me directed and delivered, for a judgment rendered in said Court, on the thirteenth day of June, A. D. 1877, in favor of the State of Nevada, and against the Bowery Consolidated Mill and Mining Company, and also the real estate and improvements hereinafter described, for the sum of \$204 16-100, in gold coin, tax and delinquency, together with \$36 45-100, costs of suit, amounting in the whole at this date to \$240 61-100, I have levied on the following property, to wit: Lot on Meadow Valley street, Pioche, Lincoln county, Nevada, No. 32, block 21. The improvements on mine known as the Bowery mine, in Ely Mining District, Lincoln county, State of Nevada, consisting of building and machinery, and known and designated as the Bowery Hoisting-works. Notice is hereby given that on

Monday, the 16th day of July, A. D. 1877, at 12 o'clock m., I will sell all the right title and interest of said Bowery Consolidated Mill and Mining Company, together with the above described property, at the front door of the Court-house in Pioche, Lincoln county, State of Nevada, at public auction, for cash in hand, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

W. L. MCKEE, Sheriff of Lincoln County, By J. P. CURTIS, Deputy Sheriff. J. L. 21

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Notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 16th day of July, A. D. 1877, at 12 o'clock m., I will sell all the right title and interest of said Portland Silver Mining Company in and to the above described property, at the front door of the Court-house in Pioche, Lincoln county, State of Nevada, at public auction, for cash in hand, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

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Monday, the 16th day of July, A. D. 1877, at 12 o'clock m., I will sell all the right title and interest of said Kentucky Silver Mining Company in and to the above described property, at the front door of the Court-house in Pioche, Lincoln county, State of Nevada, at public auction, for cash in hand, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

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